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TWO CENTS.

Granville, N. Y.

PRESIDENT OF THE COMPANY

Victims Mostly Hungarian Laborers-Four Bodies Have Been Recovered -Many Engaged in Rescue.

ville, N. Y. Among the dead is F. V. Willmen of the quarry, were rescued. The lat-

Four bodies have been recovered. The residents of Granville and the neighboring country are helping in the work of rescue. Mr. Williams was a prominent citizen of Granville. He was formerly a commercial traveler for the New York Japanese silk store of E. P. Mason

FISHING LAUNCH SEIZED.

Half Ton of Black Bass Alleged Illegally Seined.

Crossley and Shirley when the boat arrived at this port early today.

Charles Mischler, district manager for the company, has been placed under arrest. Paul North, fish and game commissioner, will, it is said, endeavor to confiscate the Wilcox. It is illegal to take black bass ex-cept with a hook and line.

Was Formerly a Wealthy Banker of Norfolk, Va.

Special Dispatch to The Star. NORFOLK, Va., October 6 .- Capt, Nathaniel Burruss, aged sixty-one years, a former wealthy banker of Norfolk, died at his home here today from complications bride of Capt. Harry B. Jordan, U. S. A.

RAMSEY'S PETITION.

Argument Begun at St. Louis in De-

posed President's Case. ST. LOUIS, October 6.-In the St. Louis circuit court today argument began before Judge Taylor on the petition of Joseph Ramsey, jr., deposed president of the Wabash Railroad Company, for an injunction to prevent the voting, at the Wabash an-

ALLEGED MURDERER HUNTED.

large force of Brooks county deputy sheriffs and Wheeling police.

The negro is believed to be hiding in the

country near the Pennsylvania line. He is said to be a vicious enaracter and a fight is

PHILIPPINES STORM SEVERE.

ter. The government's police work the past year in the provinces of Cavite, Batangas and the Island of Samar, which made possible the largest acreage planted in the hisyear in the hemp province.

loss is incalculable. In Albay and Sorso-gon 80 per cent of the buildings, dwellings, schools and warehouses have been de-

The storm, in connection with the severe drouth which obtained early in the year, will, it is estimated, decrease the receipts

INSISTED ON PLEA OF GUILTY.

Aged Man Rejected Free Defense for Counterfeiting.

and asked for immediate sentence.

He had coined twenty nickels just to see if he could, and told Judge Burns that he had no more money than was needed at home while he was in the penitentiary. He in Bloomington, Ill. W. D. Mahon, presiwas given thirteen months at Leavenworth.

Lord Inverclyde Critically Ill.

Special Cablegram to The Star. LONDON, October 6.-Lord Inverciyde, chairman of the Cunard Steamship Company, is in a critical condition, consequent upon a relapse from pleuro pneumonia, from which he has been suffering.

\$1,000 Reward for Bandits.

Mead has offered a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest of the bandits who robbed the Great Northern train near Ballard on Monday.

FOURTEEN MEN KILLED BAD FOR DOUGHERTY MULLOWNYTHE JUDGE

Cave-In at a Quarry Near 13 Indictments Returned Gets Berth in the Police Against Him Thus Far

AND 3 OF FORGERY.

Accused-Statement of Man Who Discovered Irregularities.

PEORIA, Ill., October 6.-A total of thirteen indictments have thus far been returned against Newton C. Dougherty, city superintendent of schools and president of the Peorla National Bank, Ten of them are for embezzlement and three for forgery. Forty more are being drawn by the state's attorney's office. It was announced from that office today that the total would reach more than 200. The bail required for those thus far returned is \$12,700.

Mr. Dougherty is in receipt of messages from all over the country, many of them expressing sympathy and belief in his innocence. According to a statement made by a member of the grand jury today hundreds of pieces of school scrip which, it is alleged, were changed after being signed by the president of the school board, are missing.

A committee appointed by the school board to continue the investigation after the grand jury gets through announced today that the committee would go back over the books of the board for twenty years. the books of the board for twenty years.

In some cases both stubs and vouchers missing, representing, according to the cash book, large amounts.

Discovered Irregularities.

Erwin J. Schnebly, discount exchange clerk at the Peorla National Bank, the man who first discovered irregularities in Mr. Dougherty's method of handling school funds, made a statement today. He said:

"I took charge of the individual books at the bank seven years ago and shortly thereafter I began to notice the queer methods Mr. Dougherty had of handling the funds of the Peoria school board. He would make checks payable to various local firms and give his personal check for a smaller amount. I called the attention of the bank officials to this state of affairs and was informed that it was none of my business. I was then transferred to the discount and exchange department. Mr. Dougherty's dealings were carried on as follows:

school furniture firm in Chicago or a plumbing firm in St. Louis. With these checks he would purchase New York, Chicago or St. Louis exchange, made payable to his own order. Upon examining the in-

vate business affairs.
"In some cases he would indorse the fore Mr. Cook, the national bank examiner for this district. Upon his advice I laid the matter before the attorney general at Springfield. He advised me to take it to the state's attorney of Peoria county, which I did. I also laid the matter before S. O.

Spring, cashier of the bank.
"Transactions of that kind then ceased.
In explaining them to me Mr. Dougherty said that he kept three sets of funds, in New York. Chicago and St. Louis.

"When I was called before the grand jury there were exhibited many changed checks. In one instance a check, charged to the school fund, had been raised from \$24 to \$2,450. The stug showed \$24. An-other was drawn for \$2,750. The stub, which had originally read \$27, had been raised to \$2,750 The last two figures on the stub were in green ink, the first two in "I was discharged from the bank only

last Saturday. Will Not Affect Big Trust Fund. CHICAGO, October 6 .- The shortage of Prof. Newton C. Dougherty, who was arrested at Peoria, Ill., yesterday on charges of misappropriating school funds and forgery, will have no bearing on the \$185,000 fund of the National Educational Association, of which he is trustee and past president, according to Albert G. Lane, district superintendent of schools and local member of the association.

"Mr. Dougherty was a trustee and mem ber of the executive board," said Mr. Lane last night, "but had no voice in the disposition of the funds, which were deposited in the First Trustees' Savings Bank of this city. I had no intimation of his trouble urtil I learned it through a newspaper, but any shortage on his part cannot affect the

MANY BURIED IN RUINS

FIVE-STORY BUILDING IN ST. PETERSBURG COLLAPSED.

ST. PETERSBURG, October 6 .- A fivestory building in course of construction on Meschtschankaja street collapsed today and a hundred workmen were buried in the ruins. Up to the time this dispatch was filed only seven of the men had been extricated. They were seriously injured.

AUTOS FOR STRIKERS.

Machines Bought by Employes for Use During Strikes.

CHICAGO, Ill., October 6.-The national convention of street railway employes in session here yesterday appropriated \$20,000 for the purchase of ten automobiles to be used by the union to convey passengers wherever there is a street car strike, the profits from fares to go back into the defense fund, from which the \$20,000 came. The union owns three automobiles, which were used during the strike in Saginaw, Mich. Others were leased during a strike dent of the national organization, admitted that ten motor cars would not be of much

use in case of a street car strike in Chicago or any large city.
"But they would be a start, at least," he said, "and we could buy or lease more, and obile is always good property."

Personal Mention. Mr. Albert Klein of this city was among

the passengers aboard the North German Lloyd steamer Darmstadt, which sailed from Baltimore for Bremen Wednesday afternoon last.

Dr. Z. T. Sowers and family have re-turned to the city.

Court.

SIXTEEN WERE BURIED IN PEORIA SHORTAGE APPOINTED TODAY

Expressions of Sympathy Received by Vigorously Contested Fight Brought to Close by President

> It is Judge Alexander R. Mullowny now. President Roosevelt today affixed his signature to a paper which brought to a close one of the most vigorously contested fights for a District office that has ever been waged in the memory of venerable citizens

lexander Richmond Mullowny, assistant United States district attorney, to be a



Alex. B. Muliowny. (Photo by Harris-Ewing.)

judge of the Police Court of the District of Columbia to succeed the late Judge Charles Fletcher Scott.

The selection of the new judge, it is un-"He would bring in checks for large derstood, was left entirely to Attorney Genamounts, payable in most instances to a eral Moody, who practically decided last night to nominate Mr. Mullowny. Therefore, when Mr. Moody drove to the White House about 11:30 o'clock this forenoon all that was required of the President was to dorsements on the drafts I found that in many instances they had been used in pri-

The last caller at the Department of Justice this morning was a minister of the names of local firms on the drafts without gospel, who was interested in the selection their knowledge, putting his own initials of a candidate other than Mr. Mullowny. under the signature. I laid the matter beclosed.

> lore. these papers, and to persons who "The fight was as strenuous," said a high government official, "as though the prize was a Supreme Court judgeship, instead of a police justiceship, but it showed that pointments for District men. with mercy, coupled with his pleasing per-sonality, and it was decided that he was

Just as Mr. Mullowny was informed of his appointment by the newspaper men at the city hall the bell of the telephone in the United States attorney's office rang. At the other end of the wire was Judge Kimball. He was the first to extend congratulations to his new colleague. There-after the telephone was in service almost constantly and the appointee finally was compelled to locate himself alongside the instrument, as the indications were that he congratulatory calls would never end. United States Attorney Baker and the employes of the office promptly expressed their pleasure because of the compliment that had been paid a member of the office force, but all, especially Mr. Baker, hastened to say that they were sorry to lose their valued associate from the office. The news of the appointment spread rap-

idly, and soon members of the bar and others were lining up to take the new judge by the hand. Between the telephon the callers, Mr. Mullowny was kept busier

qualified approval at the city hall and among the attorneys. Mr. Mullowny is among the attorneys. Mr. Mullowny is recognized not only as an able lawyer but as a judge of human nature. Furthermore, his long service at the Police Court as prosecutor for the United States is regarded as having helped vastly in fitting him for a position on the bench. As prosecuting attorney Mr. Mullowny investigated every case inaugurated in the United States branch of the Police Court. In that capacity he really acted as a judge, for he disposed of many of the cases in his office without taking them into court. It was his province to decide what cases should and what should not be taken into court. Those taken in he prosecuted.

Causes a Vacancy.

The appointment of Mr. Mullowny to the judgeship of the Police Court causes a vacancy in the force of assistants to the United States attorney for the District of Columbia. Mr. Mullowny held the important post of writer of the indictments. Mr. Baker this afternoon said that he had not given the matter of filling the vacancy

any consideration.

Mr. Mullowny was merely a receptive candidate for the appointment. "My name was first suggested in connection with the matter in The Star," he said today. "Until I read it there I had given no thought to the place. My friends, prompted by the publication, then interested themselves in

and is a bachelor. As the appointment was announced this morning, Friday is considered his lucky day. Mr. Mullowny has been a resident of this city nearly his entire lifetime. He was educated in the public schools, and began the study of architecture. While so engaged he took the law course at night at Howard University and graduated in 1887. Soon thereafter he was admitted to the bar, and forthwith was appointed an assistant by Mr. A. S. Worthington, who was then the United States attorney for the District of Columbia. He has been a member of the force of assistants ever since, as each succeeding United States attorney re-tained him.

For more than ten years Mr. Muulowny was the assistant United States attorney in charge of prosecutions at the Police In charge of prosecutions at the Police Court. About two years ago Mr. Beach, then United States attorney, upon the resignation of Mr. Hugh T. Taggart, transferred Mr. Mullowny to the main office, and delegated to him the important duty of drawing the indictments upon presentments made by the grand jury.

The first news of Mr. Mullowny's appointment was received at the Police Court just before noon from a Star reporter, who

just before noon from a Star reporter, who had just come from the White House. Both courts were in session at the time. The news flashed with almost electric-like rapidity from court official to policeman, from detective to spectator and from witness to prisoner, until all knew that Judge Mullowny was "it." There was a display of enthusiastic approval on all sides.
Judge Kimball smiled broadly and expressed his approval, as did Judge Lewis I O'Neal, who was one of the leading candates for the vacancy on the Police Court

Some Good Opinions. In speaking of the new judge, Judge Kim-

ball said:

"The appointment of Judge Mullowny is most excellent one. He is not only a lawyer of ability, but from long experience as prosecuting attorney in the Police Court is especially well qualified for the position to which the President has appointed him. I have known him for many years; he is a man of warm heart, and as a prosecutor

was absolutely fair and impartial in the presentation of his cases." Judge O'Neal said: "The appointment is an excellent one. Mr. Mullowny will make a very good judge. In my opinion, he is well qualified for the position, from his long experience as prosecuting attorney." Financial Clerk Sebring said regarding the innouncement: "I congratulate the Presiannouncement: dent and through him the citizens of Washington in the appointment of Alexander R.

Assistant District Attorney Ralph Given gave his approval in the following words: "I was associated with Judge Mullowny for twelve years in the prosecution of cases in the Police Court, and during that time observed his character, and to my mind better selection could not have been

Mullowny to the responsible position of po-

Assistant District Attorney Taggert said: 'He has the ideal temperament for a Police Court judge. He is absolutely without prejudice, and will administer justice without fear and without regard to any per-sonal feeling." Assistant Corporation Counsel James Pugh said: "I have known Mr. Mullowny

for fifteen or twenty years, and have been intimately associated with him since my services in the Police Court, and I know of no man I would have preferred, since I could not get it myself."

Deputy Clerk Harper, in the absence of Clerk Potts, spoke for that department: "He was around the Police Court for about

twenty years, and he is well qualified in every way for the office-in temperament. in his legal knowledge and as a judge of muman nature."
Mr. Campbell Carrington said: in his judicial selections, and in the present instance he has appointed en ideal man. Broad-minded, an excellent lawyer, firm,

could not possibly have been chosen a man more acceptable to the bar and the com-Mr. Frank P. Morgan, veteran news-

C. W. RUSSELL MADE ASSISTANT

President Roosevelt today appointed torney general, to the position of assistant York to become controller of the Equitable

Some time ago there was serious consideration of making Mr. Russell chief justice of the supreme court of the Philippines. He was not a candidate for the



his name. Mr. Russell was made special assistant attorney general in charge of insular at-fairs to look after matters arising in inpossessions and especially to investitime this government was about to buy that property from the Panama Canal Com-

art. Russell has lately been handling judicial cases growing out of the temporary occupation of Cuba by this government, and has also been making investigations of charges against judges and other United States officials, especially western and territorial officials. In all of his work has been supported with and western and territorial officials. he has won the good will and unstinted praise of his superior officers.

Mr. Russell has been in the Department of Justice a good many years, having risen by sheer merit from a clerkship to his present place.

NO WAY CHANGED MISSING BOY IS FOUND BAY STATE POLITICS

Mr. Townsend Not Influenced Return of Italian for Whom Lively Republican Convention by Committee's Testimony.

CAN BE CALLED EVIDENCE.

Discusses the Purpose of His Railway Rate Bill and the Attitude of the President.

Representative Townsend of Michigan, shose name has become a household word in connection with the Esch-Townsend bill for the regulation of railroad rates, is as fully determined as ever to advocate the enactment of a law by which a government commission will be empowered to fix railroad rates in the manner provided by the measure that passed the House of Representatives last winter. The discussion of his bill during the recess of Congress and the mass of testimony taken by the Senate committee en interstate commerce has in no way changed Mr. Townsend's essential policy of empowering a government commission to fix railroad rates.

Object of the Bill.

"We had but one idea in framing that bill," said Mr. Townsend when seen by a Star reporter today at the Raleigh, where he is staying while in the city, "and that was to correct an omission in the original law for the regulation of the railroads. According to the law the commission could not make an order which would remedy an evil condition or any unjust condition that was found to exist. It actually exercised that power for a number of years, but it was finally determined that it did not have the power. It was to give the commission that power that the House of Representa-tives passed its bill last winter.

"The rest of the bill merely furnished the machinery for expediting the hearings and for carrying out the essential provision of the bill, which was to fix a reasonable rate when a rate was found to be unreasonable. No statement that I have seen in opposition to this legislation since Congress ad-journed has modified my view as to the

wisdom of adopting this course."
"It has frequently been stated in the press that the language of the President in his latest message to Congress favoring rate legislation is somewhat ambiguous and that the President was not on record in favor of such legislation in the form in which it was proposed in the bill that bears your name," was suggested to Mr. Townsend.

The President's Attitude.

"There can be no ambiguity about the language of the President. The President's language was clear and explicit and he stands on the same ground today that he did when he sent his message to Congress. I am satisfied that he is determined to do evtrything he can to put such legislation through Congress. That interpretation of the President's language has been put forward in order to 'let him down easy' if he should care to change front. But he does

not want to be let down easy. "Nobody who believes in this legislation had any doubt about what the President The President simply meant what he said, and those of us who know the President pretty well never doubted what he meant, and it is almost an insult to him to presume to doubt his position on this question. He not only said it in his message, but on every proper occasion since sending his message to Congress he has reaffirmed his views. If I am not mistaken, when his message goes to Congress in December, among the first subjects, if not the first, that he will consider will be the rail-

road rate question." Not Influenced by the Testimony. Mr. Townsend was asked whether the

testimony that has been offered before the Senate committee on interstate commerce has inclined him to approve any change in his bill of the last Congress. "No," he replied; "tney have not attacked the bill in any important way. The Senate

committee on interstate commerce called witnesses, and the railroads; of course, knew whom to send to the hearings. During the first part of those hearings the time was devoted largely to showing that it would be unconstitutional to confer such power on the commission as the bill pro-They contended that the commis sion never exercised such power, but they were confronted with the record of the interstate commerce commission, showing every order the commission had ever issued, and it was shown that they had exercfsed the same power as was proposed by the Townsend bill. Then they had eminent lawyers to come and tell the committee that the bill was not constitutional, and after those opinions had been received the committee called on the attorney general for an opinion, and he clearly set forth that it would be constitutional to confer the power as proposed.

"They then proceeded to present, not evidence, but theories of railroad men as to the nature of the effect that such legislation would have on the railroads. I be-lieve that not 2 per cent of all the railroad evidence presented there could be designated by the name of evidence. It was simply the opinions of interested parties.

What the Bill Proposes. "Now you ask me if that has changed my opinion during the past summer. I have

seen nothing that has led me to change my views on this question. All that is proposed by our bill for railroad regulation is that when a rate or regulation, whether in the form of discrimination between individuals or between places and products or in the charge on refrigerator cars, and when a complaint is made, there should be an impartial tribunal to hear the testimony and make a finding in accordance with that provision which says the rates must be just

DIRECTOR WALCOTT RETURNS. Has Spent the Past Nine Weeks in the

Director Walcott of the geological survey returned to his desk today after an absence of five months. 'He left here June 9, and has traveled through most of the west and northwest, inspecting the work of the various branches of the survey. He had quite a strenuous outing and was in the saddle for nine consecutive weeks, with the exception of three days, which were spent in recovering from an injury. Mr. Walcott looks in perfect health and says that his summer's work has done him a world of good.

Admiral Manney's Tour. Rear Admiral Manney, chief of the naval

bureau of equipment, left Washington to-day for a tour of inspection of the coaling stations and equipment departments at a number of naval stations on the North Atlantic coast. He was accompanied by filed since adjournment in May. The rest of the cases come over from the previous

There Was Long Search.

HE DOUBTS ITS VALUE ABANDONEDBYTWOMEN EXCITING FEATURES

DECLARES THAT LITTLE OF IT WAS KIDNAPED AND HELD 12 DAYS FOR A RANSOM.

> Son of a Brooklyn Contractor-No Clue to the Kidnapers-Lad Unable to Furnish Description.

ment of Tony Marendino by the persons who had kidnaped and held him for ransom, and the return of the little Italian boy to his parents, which occurred last night. has given the police no clue to the kidnapers. So impressed with fear of the persons who had stolen him was the little fellow that he either could or would give no other description of his captivity than a mass of confusing contradictions, out of which the police could extract nothing that would point to the identity of his captors. He had even been so schooled by them that he reached a decision to introduce a comprecalled them "papa" and "mamma," but declared, upon closer questioning, that they early today it seemed likely that a col-

The boy, who is six years old, was found on a 3d avenue trolley car last evening, where he had been abandoned by two men. He was turned over to the police, who recognized him as the son of an Italian contractor in Brooklyn. He had been missing twelve days, and in the meantime his captors had endeavored first to extort \$500 and then \$5,000 in ransom from his parents.

When the child was gently questioned by the police he said:

The Boy's Story. "I was taken away from my home by two men who shoveled dirt for my father. They

made me get off my papa's doorstep and go with them. They took me to a railroad shall protect United States exports against station, where we had to go up stairs. Then they went on some other cars, and we went to a stable. They hid me there. After a while they took me to my cousin's house. I had a good time." His cousin's name, he said, was Papito,

When asked where his cousin's house was the child replied: "In New York."

Although the child told the police many things of seeming importance, he would contradict them in the next sentence. His parents, whose conduct in the case has mys-tified the police, have not secured from him any more tangible information than did the

In reply to one question by the police the child said that he had been at his father's home yesterday, but when his father, who was present, spoke to him angrily, he contradicted himself. The police believe he was

They also believe that the manner in which he was abandoned indicates that the man who held him for ransom also had something to do with the abduction of Tony Mannino, more than a year ago. The Mannino boy was abandoned on a ferryboat and could give the authorities no clue to his ab-

The boy, Tony Marendino, today said further that in the house where he was kept a prisoner in upper Manhattan there were a woman and another boy also kept prisoners by a man and woman who had held him captive, and that they were trying to escape. Tony said his captors had threatened to kill him if he made a noise, and had beaten him with a stick, but that he had plenty to eat and a good place to

Suspect Arraigned. The Brooklyn police today arraigned Falvoire Pitonia of that city in court and accused him of having acted as a go-between for the kidnapers of the Marendino boy. They asserted that Pitonia had told Francesca Marendino, the father of the kidnaped boy, that if he paid the money de-

Pitonia was held in \$5,000 bail, which was promptly offered by Marendino, the father of the boy Tony. When the police questioned the character of the ball Ma-rendino excitedly demanded in court to know why he was not allowed to give bail for his "best friend." The bail was refused

STONE FOR SENATE OFFICES. Bids Opened by the Superintendent of

the Capitol. Preparatory to the meeting of the Senate office building commission tomorrow bids on the stone work of the building have been received and opened by Mr. Elliott Woods, superintendent of the Capitol. There were forty-six blds, seven of them being for granite front, nine for marble front and five for a limestone front and the others for combinations. The lowest bid on granite was by Booth Brothers and the Hurricane Isle Company of New York, \$1,010,000: on marble, the Vermont Marble Company of Proctor, Vt., \$1,048,000; on limestone, Willia, Bradley & Son, New York, \$682,680. The commission consists of Senators Cullom, Gallinger and Teller, and it is ex-

PROMOTED TO MINISTER.

can Charge d'Affaires. Senior Don Emilio C. Joubert, who

pected to decide at its meeting upon material to be used.

has been charge d'affaires of the Dominican republic since October 17 last, with an office in New York, has been promoted to be minister for the Dominican republic to the United States. He called at the State Department today to announce that fact to Secretary Root and to make arrangements for the presentation at an early day of his new credentials.

Secretary Bonaparte, who attended the Maryland republican convention at Baltimore Wednesday evening and the bankers' convention at Annapolis yesterday, returned

Reassembling of Supreme Court. The October term of the United States apreme Court will be convened Monday. It is expected that every member of the

Weather.

Fair tonight: tomorrow

TARIFF REVISION.

BOSTON, October 6.-A factional contest upon the question of tariff revision, especially with reference to reciprocity with Canada, which involved the nomination of a candidate for lieutenant governor, and the presence of five aspirants for the nomination for attorney general, gave unusual interest to the republican state convention in

Although the committee on resolutions spent yesterday afternoon and last evening in hearing the arguments of the reciprocity supporters and late last night had mise plank in the convention platform, lision between the advocates of reciprocity and those who opposed tariff changes on the floor of the convention could not be prevented, because of the decision of the

The reciprocity delegates, headed by Eugene N. Foss of Newton, declare they will insist on a platform demanding the removal of the duty on hides, iron ore, lumber and

The Resolutions Committee.

to go beyond a statement favoring a revision and readjustment of the tariff and the enactment of a tariff provision which discrimination and secure the treatment accorded to the most favored nations in all foreign markets. The high protection wing regard this as a substantial concession to the reciprocity element, and early today, while the latter were demanding more de-tailed statement, with equal emphasis the anti-revisionists were declaring that if further concessions were demanded in the convention they would oppose revision of

Lieutenant Governor Curtis Guild, Jr., was the only candidate for governor in the convention, to which office he was expected to be nominated by acclamation. For lieutenant governor the candidates were three: Eben S. Draper of Hopedale, representing the most rigid protection element; Mr. Hall and Col. A. H. Goetting of Spring-

The attorney general contest has been more notable than any in recent years for that office and the early indications were that the question of a nominee would not be settled until after several ballots. The candidates were Dana Malone, district attorney for the Berkshire district; District Attorney George A. Sanderson of Middlesex; District Attorney Asa P. French of the Norfolk-Plymouth district; General Ed-

gar R. Champlin of Cambridge, and Clinton Gowdy of Springfield. For the remaining places on the ticket no contests were expected. William H. Olin was the candidate for renomination for secretary of state; Henry E. Turner for renomination for auditor, and A. B. Chapin for renomination for treasurer. Represen-

Chairman Weeks' Speech. In his speech Chairman Weeks declared that the country under the masterful influence of President Roosevelt has reached a position of power and prestige never equaled before and that protection had been and would continue to be one of the main

Abstract of Platform. "We congratulate the President upon his overwhelming triumph at the polls at the last election. Such a splendid indorsement was given by the people because it was deserved. President Roosevelt has what the lamented John Hay called the 'three indispensables-courage, intelligence and honesty.' With all his might he has tried to do what he believes to be right. There has been no double dealing, no temporiz-ing. Actuated solely by love of country he has endeavored to serve the people with an absolute fidelity. We are proud of the work he has already accomplished and we

inswerving support."
Referring to the President's part in securing peace in the far east the platform 'It is everywhere gratefully recognized that the peace so earnestly desired is due

welcome the opportunity to pledge him our

"fearless environment of laws enacted to prevent great corporations from oppressing the people by unjust discrimina-tion or by the destruction of lawful competition. In such action he should receive the earnest support of all our citizens.

Such additional legislation as may be necessary to prevent all unjust discrimination in the form of railway rebates or un-der any device whatever is favored. On the subject of the tariff the platform

to American labor and American industry should be maintained. The republican party of Massachusetts reaffirms its devotion to the principle of protection, and is opposed to tariff changes tending to depress or destroy any of our industries or to lower the wages of American labor. But we recog-nize the fact, as declared by the national republican convention at Chicago, that rates should be changed when conditions have so changed that the public interest demands the alteration of schedules.

sentatives at the last session of Congress in favor of present action, and we urge that they should continue to press upon their party associates in Congress from other states the wisdem of a consideration of the tariff for the purpose of revision and read-

ation of Congress the enactment of a tariff provision which shall protect our exports against discrimination and secure to the United States the treatment accorded to the

AMONG THE DEAD.

TROY, N. Y., October 6 .- Fourteen men were killed today at a cave-in at a quarry about two and a half miles from Graniams, president of the company. The others were Hungarian laborers. Sixteen men were buried in the cave-in. David Cadwallader and Warren Queen, the fore-

ter is expected to die.

SANDUSKY, Ohlo, October 6 .- The launch Major Wilcox, owned by the A. Both Fishing Company, with a half ton of black bass on board, said to have been caught with nets 'n Lake Erie, near North Bass Island, was selzed by Game Wardens

CAPT. BURRUSS DEAD.

resulting from a fall received in a local ticket office while he was buying a ticket on September 9 for the wedding trip of his daughter, who that day became the Capt. Burruss was widely known socially throughout the north and west. The funeral takes place here Sunday. Capt. Burruss is survived by a widow and sev-

nual election in Toledo next Tuesday, of stock held by the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railroad companies.

Big Force of Men Scouring West Virginia for Negro. WHEELING, W. Va., October 6.-Robert Fowlkes, colored, who killed Joseph Anderson here yesterday, and who is also wanted for the murder of his wife in Steubenville, Ohio, recently, is being hunted today by a

Reports Show That Many Were Killed -Loss to Army. MANILA, October 6.-Government reports show that the result of the recent storm is very serious. At least 200 natives and 25 Americans and foreigners were killed. It is impossible to identify many of the lat-

tory of the islands, has been undone and it is estimated retarded development one In Albay, Sorsogon, Masbate and Samar fields have been devastated and warehouses destroyed. Roads are impassable and the transportation facilities are crippled. The

of the Islands 40 per cent. The army is a heavy loser at southern ports.

HOUSTON, Texas, October 6 .- Pleaded with from the bench by Federal Judge Burns to withdraw his plea of guilty, offered the services of the best attorney at the bar free of all cost, white-haired John McDermott, sixty years old, yesterday insisted upon his plea of guilty in the federal court to the charge of counterfeiting

OLYMPIA, Wash., October 6 .- Gov. A. E.

10 CHARGES OF EMBEZZLEMENT SERVED THERE AS ASSISTANT PROSECUTOR.

Roosevelt.

of Washington. Shortly before noon he appointed Mr.

A great mass of papers were filed at the Department of Justice in behalf of the thirteen or more candidates for the place, it is said. They embraced personal letters from individuals of every degree, resolutions, petitions and other documents ga-lore. The President did not see any of proached him in behalf of one or the other of the candidates he said the matter of the appointment had been left entirely in the hands of Attorney General Moody.

the people of Washington are very much in earnest about the matter of District ap-During the campaign for the appoint-ment Mr. Mullowny's name did not figure as often and prominently as did those of some of the other candidates. This was because his friends declared he was in no sense an applicant for the vacant judgeship, but could only be regarded as one of the "receptive candidates." It is under stood that his friends presented to the At-torney General his record as prosecutor at the Police Court, his knowledge of human nature and his tendency to temper justice

just the sort of a judge President Roosevelt wanted, and a young man, as well, with years of valuable experience. The Judge Kimball's Congratulations.

than for many a day.

The President's selection meets with un-

my behalf."
Alexander Richmond Mullowny was born in Richmond, Va., Friday, August 29, 1865,

but merciful, and loved and respected by almost everybody in Washington, there

paper man, said: "Judge Mullowny will fill the bill to the letter. A better selection could not have been made." WILL SUCCEED PURDY

ATTORNEY GENERAL. Charles W. Russell, special assistant atattorney general in the regular establishment, taking the place made vacant by the promotion of Milton D. Purdy to the posttion as assistant to the attorney general, vice William A. Day, who went to New

Life Assurance Society. The position of special assistant attorney general has been abolished.



Charles W. Russell. office and did not seek it, but his brilliant legal attainments caused consideration of nd did not seek it, but his brilliant

He spent some time in Panama Paris, and his work was so thor-done that Attorney General Knex adopted his report as his own without more than a few days' examination on his own account in Paris.

Mr. Russell has lately been handling ju-

NEW YORK, October 6 .- The abandon-

were not his real parents.

and he did not know the rest of his name, but his cousin had shoveled dirt for Tony's father and the latter had "fired"

Schooled to Make Replies, schooled to make confusing replies.

marded Pitonia would receive a compensa-

pending an inquiry. The police suspect that Marendino paid the ransom demanded, but Mrs. Marendino denied it today.

Advancement in the Rank of Domini-

Beturn of Secretary Bonaparte. to this city this morning and attended the regular meeting of the cabinet.

partly cloudy.

in Boston Today.

CONTEST OVER THE QUESTION OF

Reciprocity Delegates Press Their Claims-Five Candidates for Nomination for Attorney General.

Tremont Temple here today.

revisionists for more specific utterances than the committee was willing to make.

The resolutions committee is not willing

A Notable Contest.

tative John W. Weeks of Newton was the permanent chairman of the convention.

principles of the republican party.

The platform was presented at the conclusion of the chairman's speech. In part

it was as follows:

in largest measure to the untiring efforts of President Roosevelt. He has earned the gratitude of all of the world. With all our hearts we rejoice in his great achievement. He has brought a great blessing to man-kind and imperishable honor to his country and himself.' The President also is heartily indorsed

"We believe that the policy of protection

'The time at which revision of the taring should be undertaken must be determined by the representatives of the party from all parts of our country. We approve the position taken by our senators and representatives at the last session of Congress in "We further recommend for the consider

is urged to investigate the question of child labor, with the object of its uniform pro-hibition, on a basis not lower than that of the present Massachusetts law. Where the election franchise in any state "has been